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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

BRET T. CULVER,

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Plaintiff

No. 1:01-CV-0904

(Judge Kane)

HARRISBURG, PA

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, et al.,

V.

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Defendants

MARY E. MAIDREA, CLERK Per Deputy Clerk

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO DEPOSE PLAINTIFF

Pursuant to Rule 30(a) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, defendants, by their attorney, requests the Court for leave to depose plaintiff in the above-captioned action, and in support thereof states the following:

- 1. This is a civil action for damages brought pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §1983.
- 2. Plaintiff, Brett Culver, # DD- 3483, is incarcerated at the State Correctional Institution at Mahanoy, located in Frackville, Pennsylvania.
- 3. Under Rule 30(a) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, a person confined to prison may be deposed only by leave of Court.
- 4. The deposition of plaintiff will assist the defense in disposing of this case either by pre-trial motion or at trial.

- Defendants request that they be permitted to depose the plaintiff at the
 State Correctional Institution at Mahanoy
- 6. The exact date and time for the deposition will be arranged following the granting of leave by the Court.

WHEREFORE, defendants' Motion for Leave to Depose Plaintiff should be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Maryanne M. Lewis, Deputy Attorney General, hereby certify that on this date I caused to be served the foregoing Motion for Leave to Depose Plaintiff, by depositing a copy of the same in the United States mail, postage prepaid, in Harrisburg, PA., addressed to the following:

Brett T. Culver, #DD 3483 SCI-Mahanoy 301 Morea Rd. Frackville, PA 17932

MARYANNE M. LEWIS

DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL

DATE: May 14, 2002